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IN RE APPLICATION OF:

NOEL GOURIO : GROUP ART UNIT: 3641

SERIAL NO: 09/147,696 :

FILED: MAY 3, 1999 : EXAMINER: JOHNSON

FOR: ARMOURED GLAZING, IN
PARTICULAR FOR VEHICLE
FIXED OR MOBILE SIDE GLAZING

703500 MAIL ROOM

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AMENDMENT

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated August 18, 2000, and further to the Election of Species filed on November 17, 2000, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Cancel Claims 11-21.

Add the following new claims:

--22. An armored transparent partition, comprising:

a substantially planar transparent element; and

at least one rigid protuberance fixed to said transparent element and extending, substantially in the plane of said transparent element, beyond a periphery of said transparent element.

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